

## RED PENCIL AND RED PEPPER USED

Young Bride Annoyed by Malicious  
Whitcaps.

BRISTOL, Pa., May 30.—"We will fix you when you least expect it and have your and Warrens blood, if it takes a year to do it," is the whitcap message written in red ink that was tacked on the door of Mrs. Warren McNally, of 550 Swain Street, Bristol.

The quiet town is agog over the systematic persecution of a beautiful young bride of a year, who has been driven to the verge of nervous prostration by some secret enemies.

Warren McNally, a youth of about twenty-two years, and Miss Maggie Wilkinson, a handsome young woman who had many admirers among the young men of Bristol, were married about a year ago. Shortly after the ceremony a mysterious message was received which read: "We will have you and Warren separated inside of a year."

From that time on until about ten

days ago letters of a threatening character were received at intervals. Latterly, however, the persecutors have become so bold that the neighbors have organized and take turns at night watching for the culprit.

Last Friday evening, at about 8:30 o'clock, Mrs. McNally heard a noise in the back yard, and upon going to investigate, was struck in the face with a thin paper sack, which was filled with red pepper.

The next morning a letter was received stating that "Warren and Maggie are marked for death, and the heart would be blown out of the man who dared to interfere."

On Sunday night at about 11:30 o'clock, Mrs. McNally's little baby becoming restless, the mother got up and turned up the light. Immediately a brick came crashing through the bedroom window and narrowly missed hitting the intended victim. Mr. McNally is employed upon the Pennsylvania Railroad, and is away from home a great deal, but that night he was home and he fired a shot in the direction of the intruders.

The next morning a notice was found tacked to the door, which read: "There will be shot for shot and man for man." In all, about twenty threatening letters have been received, and the local police force has been unable to get any clue to the offenders. One letter received contained a quantity of powdered concentrated lye, another arsenic. All

are written with a lead pencil in the same hand.

Mrs. McNally said she was in constant dread of something happening, and could sleep neither night nor day. She gave the reporter the following letter, which was received yesterday, and is a sample of the threats that have been made.

"Well, Warren and Maggie, I hear you think we will be caught, but if we do get caught it will be after we kill you, and not before. We see you every night, and we are not a bit afraid of Novogold or Sickles or anyone else you have employed as watchers.

"The man that stops us we will kill. We will fix you when you little think. There is not a night but we see you, and we will have Maggie and Warren's blood if we have to do it in daylight. We will have revenge no matter what happens. So think of it as you will."

### TAKEN ILL ON STREET.

Harry Honn, of 1118 Twelfth Street northeast, was taken ill yesterday at Tenth and I Streets northeast. He was removed to his home, where his condition was pronounced not serious.

### FELL FROM STREET CAR.

While attempting to alight from a car at Ninth and T Streets northwest yesterday afternoon, John A. Benson, of 229 Fourteenth Street northeast, fell from the lower platform and was slightly injured. He went home unassisted.

## EARNEST CAMPAIGN ON FOR FIREWORKS MONEY

Finance Committee Has Received  
Many Additions.

Thomas W. Smith, chairman, has announced the appointment of a number of additional members to the finance committee, which is raising money to pay the expenses of the civic celebration of Independence Day. The new members of Mr. Smith's committee are as follows:

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### BURIAL OF REGULAR SOLDIER.

The remains of Byron F. Fry, a member of Troop E, Second Cavalry, who was killed on the Pennsylvania Railroad, Thursday night, will be interred this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, in Arlington Cemetery. Full military honors will be given the dead soldier.

### HIT ON HEAD WITH CLUB.

In the course of a fight last evening, Henry Coates, a negro, of 423 First Street northwest, was struck on the head with a club by Salvatore Marcelioni, an Italian. Henry had his wounds dressed at the Emergency Hospital, and his assailant was arrested.

### KNOCKED DOWN BY A BICYCLE.

Maggie Malone, of Brookland, was knocked down by a bicycle in the Soldier's Home Cemetery yesterday afternoon, and slightly injured. The wheel was ridden by a negro named Bull Adams. The girl's father says he intends procuring a warrant for the man's arrest.

## ATTEMPT TO KILL ITALIANS AT DAVIS

Buildings in Which Foreigners Slept  
Blown Up With Dynamite.

CUMBERLAND, Md., May 30.—Early this morning an attempt was made at Davis, W. Va., to kill a number of Italians by blowing up the buildings in which they slept with dynamite.

About 100 Italians were sleeping in two adjoining buildings, between which the dynamite was fired. The buildings were wrecked. A number of the inmates were injured. Eight other houses near by were also wrecked. The perpetrators of the deed then went to the electric light plant, drew guns on the electrician, and made the man shut off the lights.

The Italians were employed in the pulp mill and tannery. The American laborers objected to this, and threats had been made of what would be done, unless the Italians were discharged. The injured men were brought here this afternoon, and placed in a hospital.

### JAPAN BUILDS SHIPS.

LONDON, May 30.—It has been decided that Japan shall expend \$60,000,000 in the next ten years in the improvement of her navy, and that most of the new vessels shall be built in England.

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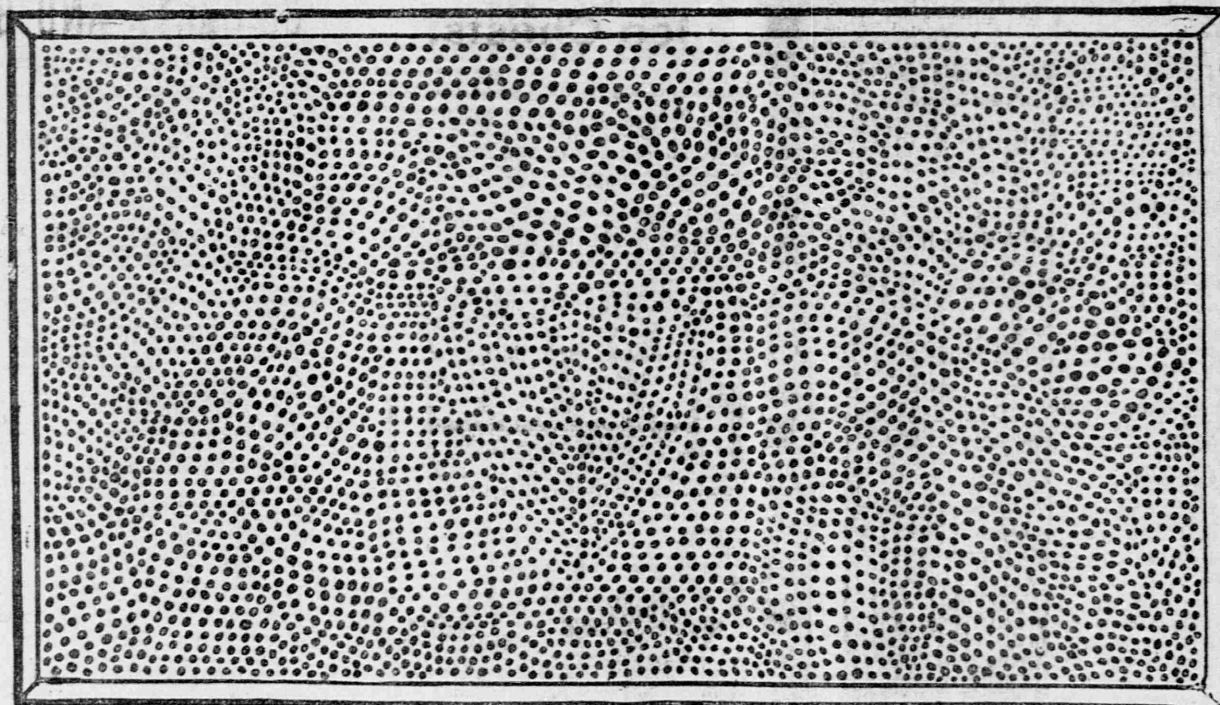
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